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Amendments to the Claims:

Listing of Claims:

1. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) A print driver user interface method for printing a document, comprising at said print driver:

receiving a number corresponding to a plural number of copies of the document to be printed from an a software application;

receiving at least one command relating to an operation to be performed on each of the plural number of copies of the document to be printed;

displaying a first feature to a user;

offering the user a choice one or more choices relating to printing copies of the document; and

transferring control of printing the number of copies from the software application to the print driver.

2. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) The method of **claim 1**, wherein said offering includes permitting the user to reselect select a second number of copies of the document to be printed.

3. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) The method of **claim 2**, wherein said offering includes permitting the user to select to transfer control of printing the copies from the software application to the print driver.

4. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) The method of **claim 3**, wherein said permitting the user to select to transfer control includes permitting the user to select that there is a problem printing multiple copies.

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5. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) The method of claim 1 wherein the first feature informs the user that the <u>software</u> application may have a problem printing multiple copies<u>.</u>

6. (ORIGINAL) The method of claim 1 further comprising offering the user to select the operation to be performed.

7. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) The method of claim 1 wherein the operation to be performed was ~~selected by the user in~~ <u>received from</u> the <u>software</u> application.

8. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) The method of claim 1, further comprising displaying a second feature to the user that explains the purpose and function of transferring control of printing the copies from the <u>software</u> application to the print driver.

9. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) The method of claim 1, further comprising reporting to the <u>software</u> application that one copy will be printed.

10. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) A print driver UI method for printing copies of a document, comprising<u> at the print driver</u>:
    receiving a <u>plural</u> number corresponding to the number of copies to be printed from ~~an~~ <u>a software</u> application;
    receiving at least one command relating to an operation to be performed on each of the <u>plural</u> number of copies to be printed; <u>and</u>
    displaying a feature to a user informing the user that the<u>software</u> application may have a problem printing multiple copies.

11. (ORIGINAL) The method of claim 10 further comprising offering the user to select the operation to be performed.

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12. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) The method of claim 10 wherein the operation to be performed was ~~selected by the user in~~ received from the software application.

13. (ORIGINAL) The method of claim 10 wherein the operation to be performed is duplexing.

14. (ORIGINAL) The method of claim 10 wherein the operation to be performed is stapling.

15. (ORIGINAL) The method of claim 10 wherein the feature also instructs the user on how to access the print driver UI.

16. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) A print driver UI method for printing multiple copies of a document, comprising at the print driver:

offering the user one or more choices ~~a choice~~ relating to printing multiple copies of the ~~a~~ document;

transferring control of printing the multiple copies from a software ~~the~~ application to the print driver; and

reporting to the software application that one copy of the document will be printed.[[.]]

17. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) The method of claim 16, wherein said offering ~~the user a choice~~ includes offering the user the opportunity to reselect ~~select a second~~ number of copies to be printed.

18. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) The method of claim 17, wherein said offering ~~the user a choice~~ includes offering the user the opportunity to select to transfer control of printing the copies from the software application to the print driver when multiple copies has been selected.

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19. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) The method of claim 18, wherein offering the user the opportunity to select to transfer control includes offering the user to select there is a problem printing multiple copies.

20. (ORIGINAL) The method of claim 16, further comprising displaying a feature to the user that explains the purpose and function of transferring control of printing the copies from the application to the print driver.

21. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) A print driver UI method for printing copies of a document, comprising at the print driver:

receiving a number corresponding to a plural the number of copies of the document to be printed from an a software application;

receiving at least one command relating to one of stapling or duplexing being performed on each of the plural number of copies to be printed;

displaying a first feature to a user that informs the user that the software application may have a problem printing multiple copies and instructs the user on how to access the print driver UI;

offering the user an opportunity to reselect select a second the number of copies to be printed;

offering the user an opportunity to select there is a problem printing multiple copies

transferring control of printing the copies from the software application to the print driver in response to a user selection;

displaying a second feature to the user that explains the purpose and function of transferring control of printing the copies from the software application to the print driver; and

reporting to the software application that one copy will be printed.

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